

**Chambers of District Judge Gerard E. Lynch** *continued*

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Judge Wilfred Feinberg, United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit (1975-1976); Law Clerk The Honorable William J. Brennan, Jr., United States Supreme Court (1976-1977)

**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, Southern District of New York, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice (1980-1983); Associate Counsel, Office of Independent Counsel, Iran/Contra (1988-1990); Chief, Criminal Division, Southern District of New York, United States Attorney's Office (1990-1992)

**Legal Practice:** Counsel (part-time), Howard, Darby & Levin (1992-2000)

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Andrew Ayers** ..... (212) 805-0429  
Education: Georgetown 2005 JD; Vassar 1998 BA  
Law Clerk **Michael Kavey** ..... (212) 805-0431  
Education: Yale 2000 BA; Middlebury 2001 MA; Yale 2004 JD  
Law Clerk **Hoontyo Lee** ..... (212) 805-0432  
Education: Brown 1996 BA; Harvard 2006 JD  
Courtroom Deputy **Jose Lopez** ..... (212) 805-0435  
Education: John Jay Col 1985 BA

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**Laura Taylor Swain**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1958

Education: Radcliffe 1979 BA; Harvard 1982 JD

Began Service: August 31, 2000

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Constance Baker Motley, United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (1982-1983)

**Government:** Member, New York State Board of Law Examiners (1986-1996)

**Judicial:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of New York (1996-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Debevoise & Plimpton (1983-1996)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Association of the Bar of the City of New York; Federal Judges Association; Metropolitan Black Bar Association; National Association of Women Judges; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; New York State Bar Association

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Monu Bedi** ..... (212) 805-0420  
Education: Dartmouth 1997 BA; Harvard 2001 JD  
Law Clerk **Amy Beth Cyphert** ..... (212) 805-0421  
Education: Carnegie Mellon 2001 BA; Harvard 2005 JD  
Law Clerk **Tyler J. Friedman** ..... (212) 805-0423  
Education: North Carolina 2002 BA; Duke 2006 JD

**Chambers of District Judge Stephen C. Robinson**

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**Stephen C. Robinson**

District Judge

Began Service: September 22, 2003

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Arunabha Bhoulmik** ..... (914) 390-4177  
Began Service: October 2, 2006  
Term Expires: October 2007

**Chambers of District Judge Stephen C. Robinson** *continued*

Law Clerk **Andrew E. Krause** ..... (914) 390-4177  
Began Service: October 10, 2006  
Term Expires: October 2007

**Chambers of District Judge P. Kevin Castel**

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**P. Kevin Castel**

District Judge

Date of Birth: August 5, 1950

Education: St John's U (NY) 1972 BS, 1975 JD

Began Service: November 4, 2003

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk Kevin Thomas Duffy, United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (1975-1977)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Cahill Gordon & Reindel LLP (1977-1983); Partner, Cahill Gordon & Reindel LLP (1983-2003)

**Nonprofit:** President, Federal Bar Council (2000-2002); Chair, Commercial and Federal Litigation Section, New York State Bar Association (1993-1994)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Foundation; New York State Bar Foundation

**Staff**

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Law Clerk **Lezlie Madden** ..... (212) 805-4643  
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**Richard J. Holwell**

District Judge

Began Service: 2003

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Heather Takahashi** ..... (212) 805-0256  
Began Service: August 18, 2006  
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**Chambers of District Judge Kenneth M. Karas**

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**Kenneth M. Karas**

District Judge

Began Service: October 2004

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Chambers of District Judge Paul A. Crotty**

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**Paul A. Crotty**

District Judge

Education: Notre Dame 1962 BA; Cornell 1967 JD

Began Service: August 1, 2005

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Corporate:** Group President, New York and Connecticut, Verizon Communications, Inc.

**Government:** Member, Lower Manhattan Development Corporation, State of New York

**Nonprofit:** Trustee, Polytechnic University

**Staff**

Law Clerk **April R. Rieger** ..... (212) 805-6313  
Began Service: August 21, 2006  
Education: Cornell 2006 JD  
Law Clerk **Alexander J. "Alex" Wilson** ..... (212) 805-6314  
Began Service: August 14, 2006  
Education: Columbia 2006 JD  
Courtroom Deputy **Marlon Ovalles** ..... (212) 805-6312  
Judicial Assistant **Camille A. Pacifico** ..... (212) 805-6311

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**Robert L. Carter**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1917

Education: Lincoln U (PA) 1937 AB; Howard U 1940 LLB;

Columbia 1941 LLM

Began Service: 1972

Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon

Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, New York University Law School (1965-1970); Fellow, Columbia University Urban Center (1968-1969); Adjunct Professor, Yale University (1975-1977); Adjunct Professor, University of Michigan Law School (1977); Adjunct Professor, CUNY School of Law (1999-2000)

**Government:** Director, Veterans' Affairs, American Veterans' Committee (1948-1949); Special Assistant, Southern District of New York, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1962)

**Legal Practice:** Assistant Special Counsel, NAACP (1944-1956); General Counsel, NAACP (1956-1968); Senior Partner, Poletti, Freidin, Prashker, Feldman & Gartner (1969-1972)

**Military Service:** 2nd Lieutenant, United States Air Corps (1941-1944)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Association of the Bar of the City of New York

**Staff**

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**William C. Conner**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1920

Education: Texas 1941 BBA, 1942 LLB

Began Service: 1974

Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon

Political Affiliation: Republican

**Legal Practice:** Curtis, Morris & Safford (1946-1973)

**Military Service:** United States Naval Reserve (1942-1945)

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Christopher J. Donne** ..... (914) 390-4166  
Began Service: September 5, 2006  
Term Expires: September 3, 2007  
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Law Clerk **Timothy D. Sini** ..... (914) 390-4166  
Began Service: October 2, 2006  
Term Expires: September 30, 2007  
Education: Brooklyn Law 2005 JD  
Secretary **Gina Sicora** ..... (914) 390-4166

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**Richard Owen**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1922

Education: Dartmouth 1947 AB; Harvard 1950 LLB

Began Service: January 1974

Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon

Political Affiliation: Republican

**Academic:** Assistant Professor, New York Law School (1951-1953)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1953-1955); Senior Trial Attorney, Antitrust Division, United States Department of Justice (1955-1958); Associate Counsel, Commission on Alcoholic Beverage Control Laws, State of New York (1963-1964)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Willkie, Owen, Farr, Gallagher & Walton (1950-1953); Associate, Willkie, Farr, Gallagher, Walton & Fitzgibbon (1958-1960); Private Practice (1960-1965); Partner, Owen & Aarons (1965-1966); Partner, Owen & Turchin (1966-1974)

**Military Service:** United States Army Air Corps (1942-1945)

**Staff**

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Education: Harvard JD  
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